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FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI

DR. ELMER R. RAO
RPI

White House requests full-field investigation of Dr. Rao, who was born 8/7/13, Salt Lake City, Utah, and is executive vice president Ramo-Wouldridge Corporation, Los Angeles, California. He is being considered as a panel member under the President's Science Advisory Committee.

Do not divulge position for which being considered to persons interviewed.

Background data concerning Dr. Rao contained in current issue of "Who's Who." Dr. Rao was investigated in 1948 as A-1-A. Salt Lake City see your file 116-1373, Albany your file 116-3230 and Los Angeles your file 116-1200.

Background data furnished with request for investigation reveals Rao granted top secret clearance 1/27/49 which was granted by NSAC (not further identified) for work at Ramo-Wouldridge Corporation. Also holds Active "C" clearance with NSC dated 8/13/49, No. 70011-27-12.

For information all offices, NSC pertaining to Dr. Rao executed in 1947 reveals following, immediate relatives: parents, Benjamin and Clara Rao, 1615 MacArthur Boulevard, Oakland, California; spouse, Virginia May Rago, 1781 Midvale Avenue, Los Angeles, California; child, Brian Brian Rao, same address as mother, age not given; brother, Dr. Leon Rao, 733 Sadora Street, Denver, Colorado; and sister, Mrs. Gertrude Polly Morovitz, 5222 Cartridge Avenue, Oakland, California.

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RE: DR. SIMON RAMO

Appropriate offices review previous investigation carefully and bring up to date according to current standards governing SPI cases.

All offices: Conduct thorough investigation concerning Dr. Ramo's character, loyalty, general standing, associates and ability, accounting for entire adult life including education, employment and any periods of unemployment. Set out necessary leads by airtel, make certain identity and current residence of all immediate relatives is ascertained and credit and arrest checks are made concerning each. Assign case immediately, afford continuous attention and surep to reach Bureau by 3/23/59.

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (77-10945)

DATE: 8/18/59

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2751 Midvale

Ramo-Wooldridge

SUBJECT:

DR. SIMON RAMO

SPI

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BUDED:

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Above-named was born May 7, 1913, Salt Lake City, Utah. is male, white, 5'10½", 150 lbs., brown eyes, brown hair. Soc. Sec. No. 074-01-6577.. Wife VIRGINIA MAY RAMO.

RESIDENCE:Present

2751 Midvale Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. (Done in last investigation. Bring up-to-date.)

RELATIVES:Wife

VIRGINIA MAY RAMO, 2751 Midvale Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

Son

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Ramo-Wooldridge Corp., Los Angeles, Calif.

Executive vice-president

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Director of Research, Electronics Dept., Hughes Aircraft, Culver City, Calif. (Done in last investigation. Bring up-to-date.)

REFERENCE:Known 14 yrs.

(Taken from old PSQ)

Prof. [REDACTED] Calif. Inst. of Tech., Pasadena, Calif. (Done in last investigation. Reinterview.)

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AIRMAIL

TO: SAC, CLEVELAND
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-19945)
SUBJECT: DR. SIMON RAMO
SPECIAL INQUIRY

ReBuairtel to Los Angeles 8/13/59.

White House requested full field investigation of Dr. RAMO, who was born 5/1/13 at Salt Lake City, Utah.

RAMO is presently being considered as a panel member under the President's Science Advisory Committee; however, do not divulge position for which being considered to persons interviewed.

Investigation Los Angeles reflects that the Ramo-Woldridge Corp. merged with the Thompson Products Inc., Cleveland, Ohio. It was indicated that RAMO is on the Board of Directors of the Thompson Products, Inc.

Cleveland is requested to contact officials of the Thompson-Ramo-Woldridge Inc., Cleveland, and conduct appropriate inquiries concerning the appointee. Dr. RAMO is a vice president of the Thompson-Ramo-Woldridge, Inc.

It has been suggested that FREDERICK CRAIG FORD, Chairman of the Board, and J. D. WRIGHT, President of

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Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc., would be appropriate persons to interview.

Conduct thorough investigation concerning RAMO's character, loyalty and general standing, associates and ability, accounting for his entire adult life. Set out necessary leads by airtel, making certain identity and current residence of all immediate relatives is ascertained. Conduct credit and arrest checks where appropriate.

For info of Cleveland, RAMO's parents are BENJAMIN and CLARA RAMO, 1517 Mc Arthur Blvd., Oakland, Calif.; spouse, VIRGINIA MAY RAMO; children, [redacted] all of whom reside with appointee; brother, Dr. LEON RAMO, 733 Endora St., Denver, Colo.; sister, Mrs. GERTRUDE MOLLY MAROVITZ, 3222 Partridge Ave., Oakland, Calif.

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Afford continuous attention and surep to reach Bureau by 8/28/59.

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TO: SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (77-10945)
RE: DR. SIMON RAMO
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Rebulet to Los Angeles 8/13/59.

For the information of the Washington Field Office, Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation is now known as the Thompson Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc. Dr. RALPH P. JOHNSON and Dr. HILTON MOHR, both executive officers of Thompson Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc. are presently on a trip and will not return to the Los Angeles area until after the deadline. They will be in Washington, D.C., on 8/24/59, and will stay there for that day only. They can be contacted in care of the Thompson Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc., Washington, D.C., or the DuPont Plaza Hotel, Washington, D.C.

Washington Field Office interview JOHNSON and MOHR along lines requested in referenced airtel.

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Date: AUGUST 21, 1959

Transmit the following in AIRTEL
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (77-8012)
SUBJECT: DR. SIMON RAMO,
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Investigation Oakland reveals Applicant's father is deceased and Applicant's mother presently resides at 3222 Partridge Avenue, Oakland, with her daughter, Mrs. GERTRUDE MAROVITZ. Applicant's brother, Dr. LEON RAMO, presently resides 3245 South St. Paul Street, Denver. Applicant's present residence is 276 Travistock, Los Angeles. Foregoing submitted for your information and assistance.

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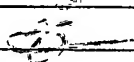

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Reporting Office LOS ANGELES	Office of Origin BUREAU	Date 8/26/59	Investigative Period 8/18 - 25/59
TITLE OF CASE DR. SIMON RAMO		Report made by SA 	Typed By: BAV b6 b7C
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REFERENCE: Bureau airtel to Los Angeles, 8/13/59.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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SA [REDACTED]

Office: LOS ANGELES

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Title:

DR. SIMON RAMO

Character:

SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis:

Education verified and satisfactory. Employments and residence verified. Appointee presently Vice-President of Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc. All persons contacted comment most favorably. Credit and criminal on appointee and spouse negative, except appointee has satisfactory credit rating. Information from Los Angeles "Times" Library set forth.

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DETAILS:

Investigation at Pasadena, California, was conducted by SA [REDACTED] at Culver City, California, and at Los Angeles, California, except at the library at the Los Angeles "Times" and the Los Angeles Herald Express, was conducted by SA [REDACTED] Investigation in 1948 was conducted by SA [REDACTED]

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IC [REDACTED] caused the records of the Retail Merchants Credit Association of Los Angeles to be searched. SE [REDACTED] caused the records of the Los Angeles Police Department and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office to be searched. SE [REDACTED] caused the records of the Traffic Violations Bureau to be searched.

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EDUCATION

California Institute of Technology (CIT)
Pasadena, California

On August 21, 1959, [] Assistant to the Registrar, advised her records reflected the appointee entered CIT on September 22, 1933 and received his Ph.D in electrical engineering magna cum laude on June 12, 1936. The file indicated the appointee was an excellent student and contained no information to indicate he was other than a loyal American of excellent character, reputation and associates. The appointee's birth date was reflected as May 7, 1913 at Salt Lake City, Utah.

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On August 21, 1959, [] Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering and Registrar, CIT, stated he recalls the appointee as a former student whose academic work was outstanding. He stated that he knows the appointee on a professional and social basis at this time and considers him a recognized leader in his field. He stated the appointee enjoys a normal family life, that he is highly regarded by all his associates and is a loyal American. He stated that the appointee is an individual of exceptional character and reputation and he would recommend him without reservation for any position of trust.

EMPLOYMENT

California Institute of Technology (CIT)
Pasadena, California

It should be noted in 1948 on a Personnel Security Questionnaire, the appointee indicated he was employed by CIT from 1934 through 1936 in a teaching capacity.

On August 21, 1959, [] Clerk, Personnel Office, advised that there are no employment records available prior to 1942.

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This employment is verified by the appointee's references and former instructors (infra).

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Hughes Aircraft Company
Culver City, California

On August 21, 1959, [] Investigator, Plant Security, advised that his records reflect the appointee was hired on June 5, 1946 as Director of Research, and that he terminated on September 11, 1953 to take another position. The file showed the appointee to be a Vice-President at the time he left this employment; however, the date of promotion is not shown. [] advised the file indicated the appointee was an excellent employee and that there was nothing mentioned in his file to indicate he was other than a loyal American of good character, reputation and associates. The file indicated the appointee resided at 2751 Midvale Avenue, Los Angeles, and that he was born on May 7, 1913 at Salt Lake City, Utah.

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[] said that all key personnel familiar with Dr. RAMO were now at Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc.

Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc.
5500 El Segundo Boulevard
Los Angeles, California

On August 20, 1959, RICHARD HEALY, Assistant Director of Industrial Relations and Director of Security, advised that the appointee, on September 14, 1953, was hired as Vice-President and Executive Director of Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation and on August 11, 1954, his title was changed to Executive Vice-President. The appointee continues to hold this title and position. HEALY further advised that the Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation was formed in September, 1953 and on November 1, 1958, merged with Thompson Products, Inc. and became known as the Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc., which is the present name. On January 1, 1958, Space Technology Laboratories, Inc., (STL), a division of Ramo-Wooldridge, was formed and on November 1, 1958 STL became a separate corporation.

According to HEALY, Dr. RAMO was made president of STL at the time of its formation but did not continue to hold that position when STL became a separate corporation. The file further reflected that the appointee presently resides at 276 Tavistock Avenue, Los Angeles, California. According to the file, the appointee has resided at this address since 1950.

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On August 20, 1959, the following persons advised that they knew the appointee for the periods indicated on a social as well as a professional basis. They stated that he possesses excellent character and habits, has extremely high business ethics, is known prominently in his field, has a strong motivation towards improving the general defense effort of the United States without regard to self-credit and publicity, that he enjoys a normal family life with his wife, VIRGINIA, and their two sons, [redacted] age 12, and [redacted] age 8. They further advised the appointee chooses only associates of the same caliber as himself and there is no question of his loyalty to the United States. They recommended him without reservation for a position of trust:

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Dr. BURTON F. MILLER, Vice-President - knew at Hughes Aircraft from 1949 to 1953 and at Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge from 1954 to present;

Mr. V. G. NIELSEN, Assistant to the Vice-President of Finance - Knew at Hughes Aircraft from 1949 to 1953 and at Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge from 1954 to present;

General GORDON P. SAVILLE, retired, Vice-President - knew appointee at Hughes Aircraft from 1949 to 1953 while he (SAVILLE) was on active duty with U. S. Air Force. He was consultant for Ramo-Wooldridge in 1954 and has known the appointee since 1955 at Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge;

General HAROLD L. GEORGE, retired, Vice-President and Executive Assistant to the President. General GEORGE was general manager for Hughes Aircraft from 1948 to 1950 and has been at Ramo-Wooldridge since 1956. He has known the appointee all during this period.

RICHARD HEALY (supra) advised on August 20, 1959 that he has known the appointee for 4½ years on a professional basis. He stated that the appointee is a man of excellent character, reputation and associates. He stated RAMO's loyalty to the United States is unquestioned and that he is an outstanding scientist. He stated the appointee is well regarded in his

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field and chooses only high caliber associates. He recommended him highly for a position of trust. HEALY further advised that Dr. DEAN E. WOOLDRIDGE, the appointee's partner, is presently in Europe on business and is not due to return for six weeks.

Dr. LOUIS G. DUNN, President, STL, 5330 Arbor Vitae Street, Los Angeles, advised on August 21, 1959 that he has known Dr. RAMO since the middle 1930s as a fellow student at CIT. He stated that he lost contact with the appointee from 1936 to 1946, but saw him frequently on a professional basis from 1946 to 1954. Since 1954, he has known the appointee quite well, both on a social and professional level. He stated appointee is a loyal American of excellent character, reputation and associates. He further stated the appointee is looked up to as a leader in his field and has always taken a direct business-like approach to his work, sacrificing his own personal gain. He stated the appointee is vitally interested in the defense of the United States and works tirelessly towards this goal and shuns personal credit and publicity. He stated he knows of no one that he could recommend higher for a position of trust and confidence with the Government.

NEIGHBORHOOD

Vicinity of:
276 Tavistock Avenue
Los Angeles, California

[redacted] housewife, [redacted] advised on August 21, 1959 that she has known the appointee and his family casually as neighbors for the past two years. She stated that the appointee's character and habits are favorable, that his associates are unknown and she has no reason to doubt his loyalty. Based upon her knowledge of the appointee, she recommends him favorably.

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On August 21, 1959, [redacted] housewife, advised that she has known the appointee as a speaking acquaintance only for the past five years. She stated that Dr. RAMO and his family remain to themselves and appear to be respected in the neighborhood. She stated that she could not comment further concerning him.

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[redacted] manufacturing agent, [redacted] [redacted] advised on August 21, 1959 that he has known the appointee as a neighbor for the past 9 years. He advised that the appointee lives with his wife, VIRGINIA, and his two sons, [redacted]. He stated that he considers the appointee to be a loyal American of excellent character, reputation and associates.

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[redacted] housewife, [redacted] [redacted] advised on August 21, 1959 that she has known the appointee and his family casually for the past 8 years. She stated that the RAMO family are not particularly close with anyone in the neighborhood; however, based upon her contacts with them, she considers them all loyal Americans of excellent character and reputation. She recommended the appointee for a position of trust.

[redacted] housewife, [redacted] [redacted] advised on August 21, 1959 that she knows the appointee and his family only as a speaking acquaintance for the past two or three years. She stated that she was unable to comment concerning him; however, based upon her observations, everything concerning the appointee would be favorable.

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It is noted that [redacted] is located around the corner from the appointee's residence.

REFERENCES

On August 24, 1959, FREDERICK C. LINDVALL, Chairman of Mechanical, Civil, Electrical and Aeronautical Engineering, CIT, advised that he has known the appointee since the mid-1930s when the appointee was a student and instructor at CIT. He stated that the appointee is a loyal American of excellent character, reputation and associates. He further described the appointee as a man of the highest personal integrity and an individual who has contributed more to the welfare of this country than anyone else in his field. He stated that he would recommend the appointee without reservation for any position of trust.

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ROYAL W. SORENSEN, professor electrical engineering, CIT, advised on August 21, 1959, that Dr. RAMO was a former student of his at CIT and that Dr. RAMO was also an instructor at CIT during his days of graduate work. He advised that he has maintained contact with Dr. RAMO on a professional and social basis throughout the years and that he considers him a completely reliable and trustworthy individual. He stated that appointee is a dependable and stable individual of excellent character, reputation and associates. He recommended him without reservation for a position of trust.

CREDIT AND CRIMINAL

The files of the following agencies failed to reflect any record identifiable with the appointee and his spouse, VIRGINIA MAY RAMO:

Los Angeles Police Department - 8/20/59;

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office - 8/20/59;

Traffic Violations Bureau, Los Angeles Judicial District, Municipal Court - 8/20/59;

Culver City Police Department - 8/21/59 (Sgt. RAY LANG)

Pasadena Police Department - 8/21/59;

Pasadena Merchants Association - 8/21/59.

On August 20, 1959, the files of the Retail Merchants Credit Association of Los Angeles contained no information concerning the appointee's wife; however, indicated the appointee maintained a satisfactory credit rating.

MISCELLANEOUS

It should be noted the current "Who's Who in America" listed the appointee as being a member of the Board of Directors of the Pacific Semiconductors, Inc.

Dr. HARPER G. NORTH, President, Pacific Semiconductors,

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Inc., 10451 West Jefferson Boulevard, Culver City, California, advised that he met the appointee at CIT in 1934 and knew him casually for approximately six months. He stated that they met again on a casual basis in 1941 at General Electric Company in Schenectady, New York. He advised that he also worked with the appointee at Hughes Aircraft from 1949 to 1953 and when Pacific Semiconductors, Inc. was formed, Dr. RAMO was made a member of the Board of Directors. Dr. NORTH advised that he has been president of Pacific Semiconductors, Inc. since June, 1954 and has been closely associated with the appointee on a social and professional basis since that time. He advised that the appointee is one of the most capable and energetic men in his field and that he is highly regarded by all who know him. He stated the appointee enjoys a normal family life and is a person of excellent character, reputation and associates. He recommended the appointee highly for a position of trust.

On August 19, 1959, the library of the Los Angeles "Times", a Los Angeles daily newspaper, reflected an article dated March 21, 1958 indicating that Dr. SIMON RAMO was the recipient of the 1957 International AZA SAM BEBER Award. The AZA is the B'Nai Brith youth organization for boys and each year the award is given to a distinguished alumnus.

The library records further reflected in an article dated October 2, 1953 the formation of the Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation indicating Dr. SIMON RAMO and Dr. DEAN E. WOOLDRIDGE as the founders. The article stated that both men were former Vice-Presidents at Hughes Aircraft and while there were responsible for the development of radar fire control systems, guided missiles and other military electrical units. The article indicated that RAMO would be the Vice-President and Executive Director.

An article datelined Cleveland, September 30, 1958, reflected the stockholders of Thompson Products, Inc. voted approval of a merger with its affiliate, the Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation. The stockholders of the Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation had earlier approved the merger. The article continued that the new corporate name would be the Thompson-Ramo-Wooldridge, Inc., and the merger was to be effective October 31, 1958.

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On August 25, 1959, the library of the Los Angeles Herald-Express, a Los Angeles daily newspaper, was checked and contained no additional pertinent information to that reflected in the Los Angeles "Times" library:

The following investigation was conducted in 1948:

EMPLOYMENT

Hughes Aircraft Corporation
Culver City, California

[redacted] Investigators, Plant Security, advised that they had known the appointee personally since June, 1946. They stated that the appointee came to Hughes Aircraft highly recommended by the General Electric Company in New York and that the appointee was one of the highest paid scientists on the staff. They stated that based upon their knowledge of the appointee, they would recommend him highly as to character, reputation and associates and they knew of no reason to question his loyalty to the United States. They recommended him highly for a position of trust.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, WFO (77-65898)
DR. SIMON RUMO
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ReLAairtel 8/20/59.

Dr. RALPH D. JOHNSON advised Dr. MILTON MOHR has left WFO and is unavailable. He stated Dr. MOHR left for Dayton, Ohio and he does not know his address at Dayton. Dr. JOHNSON recommended appointment and comments will be included in WFO report.

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AIR MAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (77-10945)
SUBJECT: Dr. SIMON RAMO
SPECIAL INQUIRY

Re Washington Field airtel to the Bureau, dated
8/25/59.

In view of the number of persons interviewed who
knew Dr. RAMO as a business and social associate, no further
attempts will be made to contact Dr. MILTON MOIR, UACB.

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AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI ATTN: SPECIAL INQUIRY SECTION,
INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (77-10945)
RE: DR. SIMON RAMO
SPECIAL INQUIRY

Re Washington Field Office airtel to Los Angeles 9/23/59.

Investigation in the Los Angeles area reflects that

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This case is being afforded continuous and expeditious handling and report will be submitted immediately following the interview of the above individuals.

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		CHARACTER OF CASE SPECIAL INQUIRY	

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Synopsis:

REFERENCES

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Washington Field Office airtel to Los Angeles, 9/23/59.

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INFORMANTS

Los Angeles T-1 is

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Field Office File #: LA 77-10945

Bureau File #:

Title: DR. SIMON RAMO

Character: SPECIAL INQUIRY

Synopsis: Four former business associates of appointee commented favorably regarding his ability, character, reputation and loyalty but two of these associates believed appointee to have been selfish and more interested in looking out for himself. One of these associates described appointee as "treacherous" in trying to advance himself. Current associate furnished information relating to "blow up" at Hughes Aircraft in which appointee involved.

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